

## A Bigger and Better GRAND RAPIDS



**T**HAT'S the idea. Every man a booster and a builder of the city. A man doesn't have to be a Carnegie nor a Rockefeller in order to be a help in building up his home town. Public buildings are all right and help a great deal from an artistic viewpoint, but we cannot all afford to put up a public building. Some of us think we have a hard enough time keeping up a private establishment. However, we can all do our share toward building up the enterprises of the city, and it doesn't cost us a cent either. Leaving your money at home with the home merchant and the home manufacturer is the plan to keep in mind at all times. It will help the man who is living next door to you and must of necessity help you also. Take, for instance, the subject of flour. What is the use of sending your money to a man who has no interest in your town when you can leave it right here by calling for

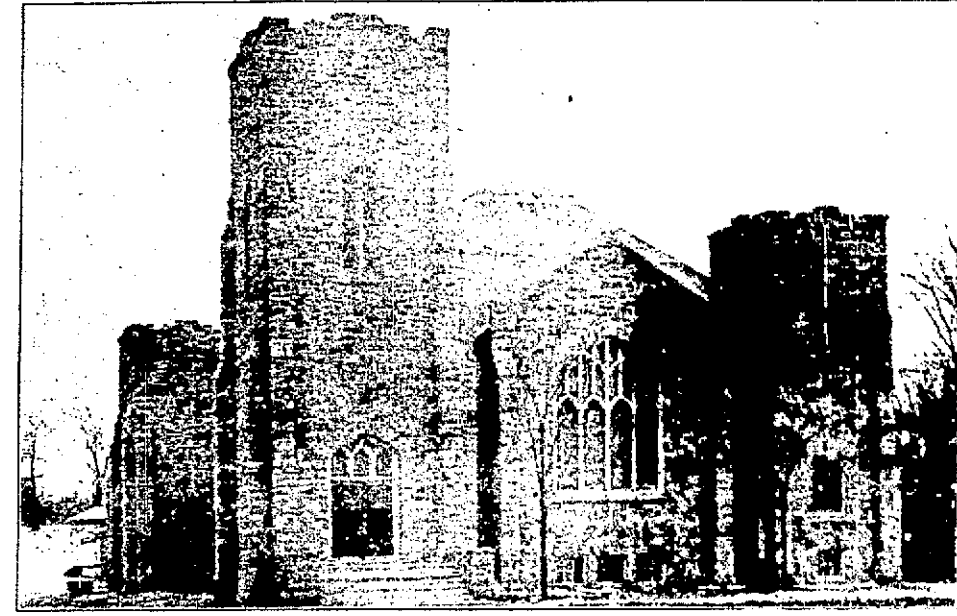
## VICTORIA FLOUR

every time you buy flour. Victoria is made right here in the city by the most up-to-date methods in existence. If you don't believe it you can go and see how it is done and be convinced. You don't know how the other fellow handles it; it may be all right and it may not.

When you read this you may be thinking about Thanksgiving. You should be thankful that you have such a chance to boost your home town with a flour like VICTORIA with which to prepare your Thanksgiving dinner.

## GRAND RAPIDS MILLING CO.

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH DEDICATED



The New First Congregational Church

The new Congregational church erected in this city during the past summer by the Congregational Society, was formally dedicated on Sunday, November 26th.

On Saturday evening there was a recital in the church, Mr. Clarence Shepard presiding at the pipe organ, while Mr. Clyde A. Nichols, tenor, was the soloist of the evening. The program for Saturday evening was as follows:

Fantasia and Fugue on Bach, Liezt Soeur Monique, Cooperin-Guilman (a) You and Love, D'Hardelot (b) Now Sleeps the Crimson Petal (c) Requiem Homer, Quiliter

Mr. Clyde A. Nichols Romance, Lemare Intermezzo, Callaerts From a German Forest, MacDowell March Nuptial, Guilman Largo, Handel Aria "Where'er You Walk", Handel Mr. Clyde A. Nichols Prelude (Parsifal), Wagner March of the Holy Grail (Parsifal) (a) Out of the Darkness D'Hardelot (b) A Rose Fable, Hawley (c) Flower Rain, Schneider Mr. Clyde A. Nichols

Encore—In the Time of Roses Walpurgis Night (Faust), Guonod

Scripture Reading and Prayer Response by Choir Trio "Faith, Hope and Love" Shelley Announcements and offering Offertory Quartetto—"Love Not the World" Sullivan Sermon—Rev. Ozora S. Davis, D. D., President Chicago Theological Sem. Hymn 425 Benediction Postlude—Finale (Seventh Sonata) Guilman

The evening services were also largely attended, the church being filled to its utmost capacity. The following is the order of services in the evening:

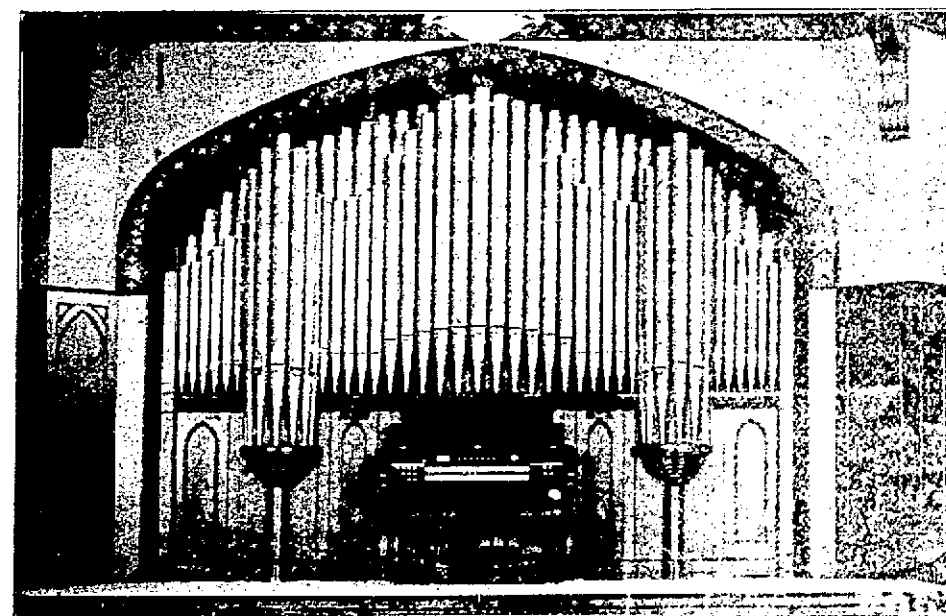
Prelude Procession to the Cathedral and Epithalamium (from Lohengrin) Wagner Hymn 98 Creation Scripture Reading and Prayer Response Choir Fraternal Greeting in behalf of the other Churches of the City Rev. F. A. Pease Anthem "Evening Hymn" with Tenor Solo, Reinecke-White Announcements and Offering Prelude of Morning by Request Solo The Lord is My Light Allister Mrs. Campbell

everything possible to make it handy and pleasant for those who attend. The main room is finished in dark oak, the pews all being nicely cushioned and a magnificent pipe organ fills the alcove built for it. The Sunday school room is just back of the main auditorium and is so arranged that a partition between the two rooms can be raised and the two rooms thrown into one. The rostrum extends around in a semicircle so that a speaker may address the audience in the two rooms without any difficulty whatever.

The Sunday school room has an entrance on the side street, so that people entering or leaving this part of the church need not disturb those in the main room. The Sunday school room also has a balcony which is divided into rooms where classes will be held and while they are occupants of the room they are divided from each other to a certain extent.

There is also a choir room, kitchen, a study and numerous other rooms about the church for special purposes.

The basement of the church has the heating and ventilating plants in it, besides which there are two large rooms, one of which is the intention to fix up for the use of the young



Pipe Organ Manufactured by the Kimball Company at a Cost of \$3,000

Never before in the history of Grand Rapids has an audience been treated to such a musical feast as they listened to on Saturday evening. Mr. Shepard's performance on the organ was apparently perfect and was thoroughly appreciated by the large audience in attendance.

The dedicatory exercises occurred on Sunday morning, commencing at 11 o'clock, and the same were largely attended, both the main room and the Sunday school room of the church being filled. The services as carried out on Sunday morning were as follows:

Prelude—Introduction to Third Act and Chorus of Pilgrims (Tannhauser), Wagner Call to Worship Doxology and Invocation Anthem—"Praise the Lord O Jerusalem", Fdk. Stevenson Tenor and Soprano obligatos by Mr. Nichols and Mrs. Wright.

Address—Rev. F. M. Sheldon Superintendent of Wisconsin Congregation Association Hymn 681 Marrial Benediction Postlude Fiat Lux, Dubois

The new church is not only the nicest one in this city, but is probably the most handsome edifice owned by a Congregational society in this part of the state. There may be others that are larger and cost more money, but it is doubtful if there is one anywhere that is more up to date in every respect than the one now located in our city.

We present herewith a cut of the church, which shows the general architectural design of the exterior. It is constructed of native sandstone, the material being quarried within a few miles of where it now stands. The building is much larger than it appears in the picture, being 86x118 feet and cost approximately \$50,000.

people of the church as a sort of amusement room.

The interior of the church would have to be inspected to be appreciated, and the members of the congregation are to be congratulated upon their achievement.

Chandler & Park were the architects of the church and A. F. Billmyre had charge of the construction work.

A great deal of credit is due Mrs. Guy Nash for her work in training the choir and making this part of the affair one of its most pleasing features. Those who assisted in the music were as follows:

Choir—Mrs. Guy Nash; Organist, Mrs. Frank Natwick. Sopranos—Mrs. Nash, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Natwick, Mrs. Horton, Miss Lyon, Miss Hayward, Miss Jones, Miss Gill, Miss Fontaine. Altos—Miss Ames, Miss Bradford, Miss Eggert.



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ACT OF DEDICATION Gloria—Choir and Congregation Hymn 300 "Shirland"

Standing as it does on the east river bank, it is a most imposing structure. The interior of the edifice, has

Tenors—Mr. Wright, Mr. Normington, Mr. Clark. Bass—Mr. Roberts, Mr. Jackson,

Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Warner, Mr. Natwick.

At the evening service, Mrs. Charlotte Lyon Campbell rendered a solo which was very pleasing, she being at her best.



Rev. F. A. Pease Won His Cases.

Attorney D. D. Conway has been in Milwaukee much of the time since the 20th instant where he was trying three cases that grew out of the earlier explosion in the Valley Drainage district on May 22, 1909, at which time one man was killed and two others injured. The three cases were consolidated to save time and expense, and the verdict was forthcoming at 8:30 o'clock last night.

In the case of Wm. Bray vs. Forrester & Downey the plaintiff was awarded damages in the sum of \$7000. In this case the plaintiff sustained a paralyzed arm and other damages.

In the case of Anna Sellers, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Sellers, her husband, vs. Forrester & Downey, damages were awarded in the sum of \$2500.

In the case of Julius Patt vs. Forrester & Downey damages were awarded in the sum of \$2500.00.

The jury found that the boiler was negligently operated and that it was of improper and weak design.

Wm. Bray lives near Milwaukee, Anna Sellers lives at Montevideo, Ind., and Julius Patt near Green Bay.

**Killed Deer in Waupaca County**

On Sunday, November 12, Game Warden Districts of this city arrested Kurt Harang of the town of Harrison, Waupaca county, with a deer in his possession. As Waupaca county is one of the counties of the state where there is no open season for deer, the fellow was caught with the goods and his only alternative was to plead guilty to the charge of killing deer in a county where deer hunting is prohibited. He did this before A. Workman, justice of the peace at Iola, and was fined \$100, which with \$2, the cost of the action, he paid. The minimum fine for the offense is \$100. If there are any in this county who contemplate bagging a deer in territory where such is prohibited, they had better change their minds, as even in this era of the high cost of living there is no more that we are able to recall that comes as high as the above.

**Deer Not Plentiful.**

Most of the deer hunters are home again, and while they are generally pretty well satisfied with their hunting trip, the general verdict is that deer are not as plentiful this fall as they have been in the past.

Altho the law only allows the taking of one deer in each hunter, many of the hunting parties failed to secure their allotment, while in other years they have had no trouble in securing two apiece.

A great deal of snow has fallen in the north woods, some of the parties reporting as much as three feet, which made it hard hunting, and in some instances discouraged the hunters, so that they came home before they had intended to.

While a great many deer have been brought down from the northern woods, there were a large number of hunters out. Those who camped out in the woods report the weather much colder and more disagreeable than usual this year.

**St. John's Church Services.**

Rev. August T. Pledner, late of Irvington, N. J., will hold services in St. John's church Dec. 3, 1911. Father Pledner is expected to arrive in Grand Rapids the latter part of the week to assume the pastorate of St. John's Parish, which has been vacant the past three months. As Dec. 31 is the first Sunday in Advent the choir will sing Tours communion service, and the offertory anthem will be "Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord," by Garrett. All friends of the church are cordially invited to be present. The hour of service will be Holy Communion at 7:30 in the morning; Sunday School at 9:45; late service at 11 o'clock.

**Committees Meet.**

A meeting of the committees on a commission form of government was held at the Grand Rapids Business College rooms last Thursday evening. Some of those present had not gotten their list of names completed yet, and it was decided to hold another meeting on Friday evening of this week, when it is expected that the lists will be complete and they can be presented to the city council at its next meeting on Tuesday evening.

**False Alarm.**

The fire department was called out Saturday evening by what was supposed to be a fire in the Anderson Carriage Works. Investigation proved it to be somebody working in the shop with a torch, which looked from the outside as if there was a fire in the place.

**Death of Wm. Hodge.**

William Hodge, of Nekosco, died very suddenly on Saturday from heart failure. He was a man 55 years of age and leaves a wife and two sons to mourn his death.



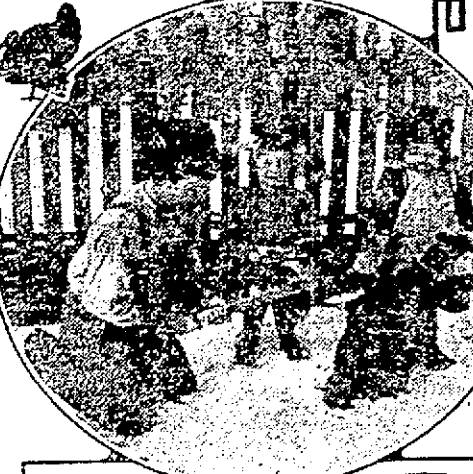




# RAISING TURKEYS FOR THANKSGIVING

THIS is the season of the year when the prospects for the turkey crop outweigh almost all other questions in the minds not only of produce men, but in the estimation of the great mass of householders. The supply, and consequently the price, of turkeys have fluctuated so widely in different years within the past decade or two that there is always an uncertainty in the minds of the ultimate consumers as to what the "peach crop" early in the season. This explains in a measure why many far-sighted citizens to whom a few cents per pound difference in price is ever a source of worry now make it a practice to order their Thanksgiving turkey long in advance and it explains, too, why many of the turkey buyers who handle the birds on a large scale begin their rounds of the poultry farms earlier in the season than was once their wont and keep close tabs on the growing fowl.

This "seasoning" by the purveyors of our principal Thanksgiving delicacy is a wise move for, be it known, weather conditions throughout the spring, summer and autumn have a most important bearing upon the turkey crop at the end of November. For instance, if a wet spring be encountered great numbers of the young turkeys suffer. In some instances they are almost literally "drowned out." The autumn is a yet more crucial time in the turkey-raising industry. An open autumn, even if it be mild, is fairly auspicious, but the ideal condition is found in cool, crisp, bracing weather which inspires the turkeys to roost in seclusion and to fatten and causes them to



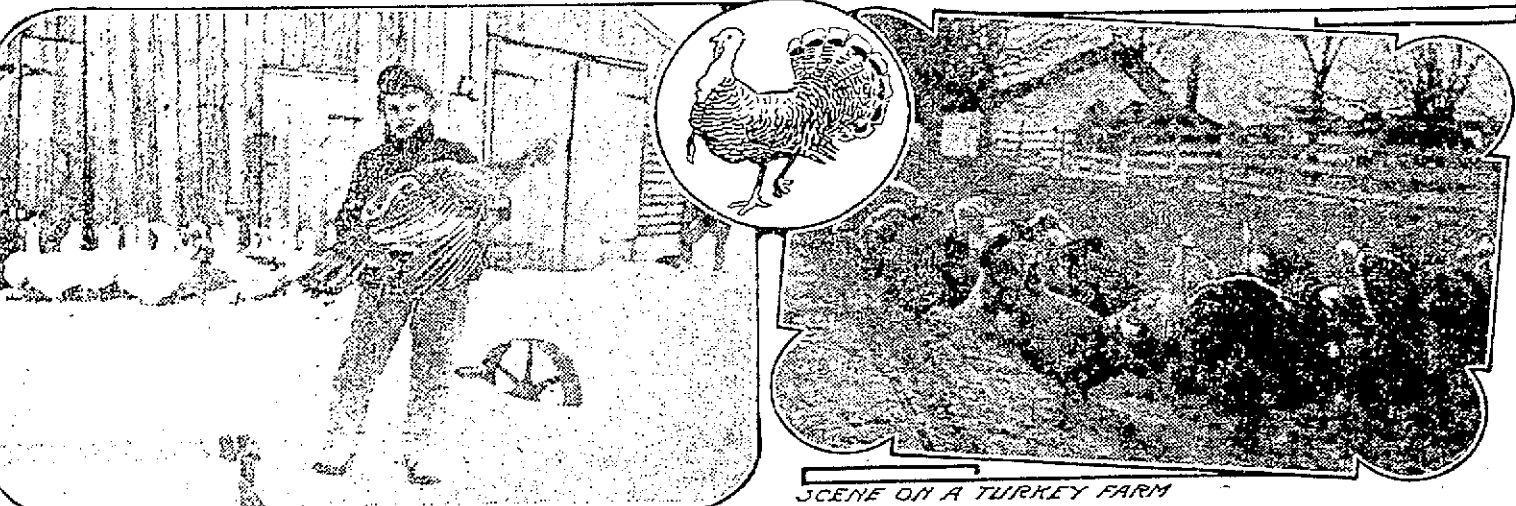
PREPARING THE TURKEY FOR MARKET



A THANKSGIVING BIRD



HANDLING CRATED TURKEYS AT THANKSGIVING



READY FOR THE THANKSGIVING RUSH

fatten in prime condition. Such weather conditions also lighten the cares of the farmer who does not devote his entire attention to turkeys, and who usually has so many other responsibilities that he is mighty glad when the turkeys can shift for themselves to say nothing of the benefit to his pocketbook. These farmers and poultry raisers, it may be added, are about the only classes in our national community who never need give a thought to a bird for the home table on Thanksgiving. There is always some sort of a turkey for the gathering round the festive board at the home. We may digress for a moment, too, to add that in late years there has come a great change in sentiment on the part of many of the farmers as to the Thanksgiving turkeys for their own tables. In days gone by there was often a disposition to regard almost any old gobbler as sufficient for the home folks. All the choicest birds were sent to market, because they would bring the best prices, and the farmer and his household not infrequently had to put up with the leavings, as it were. Lately, however, as greater prosperity has come to so many of the farmers there is a growing disposition to regard the best as none too good for the kings of the soil, and this applies to turkeys as to everything else. Consequently it is usual for the progressive farmer to retain one of his tenderest birds for the kith and kin that break bread with him on Thanksgiving, and not infrequently the chosen bird has been singled out from the others long in advance and is specially fattened in accordance with the tastes of the family.

There has been much discussion on the part of the public in recent years regarding the comparative scarcity of small turkeys—that is six to eight pound birds—in the Thanksgiving market. There is no difficulty in fixing the responsibility for this disappearance of the small turkeys. It is due to the growing tendency among turkey raisers to devote their best efforts to the "bronze" variety of fowl—the largest variety of the bird. The comparative scarcity of small turkeys—that is six to eight pound birds—in the Thanksgiving market. There is no difficulty in fixing the responsibility for this disappearance of the small turkeys. It is due to the growing tendency among turkey raisers to devote their best efforts to the "bronze" variety of fowl—the largest variety of the bird. The comparative scarcity of small turkeys—that is six to eight pound birds—in the Thanksgiving market. There is no difficulty in fixing the responsibility for this disappearance of the small turkeys. It is due to the growing tendency among turkey raisers to devote their best efforts to the "bronze" variety of fowl—the largest variety of the bird.

## Coat of Mail in Garment

While rummaging in some boxes to which he had fallen heir from a former owner, a man named Lander, who, at the time, was a young man, came across what appeared to be an ordinary blue serge coat. He tried to haul it from the box and it required both hands to get it out. Curry at first thought: no had found

a treasure coat and that it contained gold coin. When he fitted it out of the box it gave forth a metallic rattle. He slit one of the pockets and discovered that between the serge and the heavy silk lining was concealed a complete suit of steel armor. The steel plates are two inches square, a sixteenth of an inch in thickness, perfor-

ated at one end and sewed, lapping each other, to a cloth framework that exactly fits the interior of the garment.

No one can be found in Lander who can give any clue to the identity of the owner of the armor, but it is a relic of the days of the Overland mail and was worn by some one who feared attack from Indians and that it came to Lander in the early days. Others believe it belonged to some

### The Soldier's Wit.

A veteran of the Civil war, having received from the government a new cork leg in place of the one lost in battle, perpetrated this witticism in his return letter to his family: "This letter to be remembered for what I have done."—Lippincott's.

### A Souvenir.

Old Gentleman—Have you any hair the same color as mine? Barber—Do you require it for a wig, sir? Old Gentleman—No! I want a small piece to give to a lady.

### Progressive.

"I met Maude the other day and she told me she was progressing finely." "I should say she is. First, she got a hobby, then she got a hobby and now she's got a hobby."

## Tip That Created Havoc

European Recompenses Taxicab Chauffeur With Nickel and Is Surprised at His Conduct.

Women were descending their wraps in the lobby of the St. Regis at the dinner hour, relates the New York Sun, when a tall man from Europe entered the hotel through the huge revolving doors. There was a loud rattle-rattle on the glass. The

## Traffic in South America

How Congestion and Accidents Are Avoided in the Streets of Buenos Aires.

Buenos Aires is very much unlike our American cities. In the first place, there are no skyscrapers. The highest building does not exceed seven or eight stories. Then there are miles upon miles of streets with buildings of one story predominating. It is laid

out in rectangular blocks, average about 400 feet on each side. The streets are narrow, and even in the residence section they are generally built clear up to the street line. The principal business streets, such as Florida, Cuyo, Cangallo, Barriolome, Mitre, San Martin, 25th of May, etc., are only 33 feet wide, and you will wonder how the traffic is managed,

says Travel. It is done in this wise: Street cars and vehicles are allowed to move only one way. On the adjoining street they move in the opposite direction.

The result of this policy is that the traffic is kept moving. The man from Europe, who had returned to the St. Regis in a "trap" taxicab, and after paying his fare gave the chauffeur a nickel for himself. The latter threw it with all his force at the glass door. "I was thoughtless," murmured the man from Europe. "Undoubtedly he is a gentleman chauffeur and too proud to take a tip."

with Indian blood in their veins, impresses the visitor as most efficient.

Belgium's Proud Position.

Belgium is one of the smallest countries in regard to area, containing only 11,272 square miles, but it stands today the fifth of all nations of the world in regard to commerce and industry, and is the most densely settled in Europe, containing 7,317,561 inhabitants. It is also one of the richest countries per capita and second to none in enterprize.

La Crosse.—Mrs. Margaret Schwebach, mother of Rt. Rev. James Schwebach, bishop of this diocese, died, aged eighty-eight. Besides the bishop, two of her sons entered the priesthood.

## WISCONSIN NEWS TERSELY TOLD

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Fond du Lac.—Frank Temple, teamster, married, was instantly killed when he tossed a stick over his shoulder. The bit of wood struck his gun, the contents of one barrel landed with rabbit shot was poured into his stomach and he gasped and died. Temple, with a companion, Charles Sisk, was hunting rabbits west of the city. Temple rested his loaded gun against an old stump. While tearing away the tangled brush he threw a stick back over his head. It struck the contents of one barrel tore a hole in the hunter's stomach, causing instant death.

La Crosse.—Interested by balls of green fire that appeared to be shining at him from the air, Joe Wolford started toward them, thinking them to be the eyes of a big owl. He was hunting near Rice lake on French island, and had lost his way. He was taken back to find that the "owl" was a large and ferocious wild cat crouching in the fork of a tree branch. As Wolford approached the wildcat emitted a yowl and, spitting like an ordinal, leapt at the hunter. Wolford, who was out of ammunition, took to his heels, and failed to see what became of the wildcat after his spring.

Peshigo.—The finding of the body of an unidentified man in an old house near Northland has led the relatives of the missing John C. Albrecht to start an investigation with the hope of learning something definite from this case. The body was so decomposed that identification was impossible, but the clothing may tally with that worn by Albrecht when he disappeared.

Kenosha.—With a view of making a test of the baker law, the defendants in a suit brought in the name of the state to review the action of the council in transferring a saloon license. The license was transferred after the board of health had condemned the building as not sanitary and unfit for a saloon.

Wausau.—E. L. Whitney of Merrill is probably the oldest deer hunter in the woods in Wisconsin. He is ninety-one years old. He left for Bloomville on his annual trip after venison. He has never failed in many years to get a deer each season. He is a crack shot and will no doubt get one this year as well.

Juneau.—The new addition to the Methodist Episcopal church of this city was dedicated. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. O. O'Brien, pastor of the church. Rev. H. K. Kafer, pastor of the church, gave the invocation. Rev. John Reynolds, dedicatory services were read by Rev. Samuel Olson. A sermon was also delivered by Rev. Mr. Kafer.

Superior.—The use of cigarettes will hereafter bar students of the Superior high school from athletics. The enforcement of this rule by Principal Schofield, it is admitted, will be severely felt, as the majority of those prominent in athletics are confirmed smokers.

Madison.—How to care for the test is the subject of the second health bulletin issued this year by the state health department. The bulletin by the faculty committee on hygiene, pointed tests, high heels, patent leather, enameled leather, stiff and narrow shoes are condemned.

Wausau.—Arthur Hope, Athens, is considered Wisconsin's champion skunk hunter. He brought to earth eleven of the pestiferous animals in one sidriss. In going through his father's woods he saw a tall protruding through a knot hole of a hollow log. By stamping on the log he frightened them out one by one and dispatched them as fast as they appeared, save the twelfth one, which lives to tell the tale.

New Richmond.—Vernon B. Kittle, seventy years old, for 55 years a resident of Alden, Polk county, drowned himself in a shallow pool in Apple river, near his home. He sent letters to his son James, with whom he lived, and to other relatives saying that he had no complaint to make and had been treated well, but had grown too old to be of any use in the world, hence concluded to take his life. Margaret Kittle, a trained nurse in St. Paul, is a daughter.

Superior.—Posses are searching for an unidentified lumber jack at Cedar Lake. The man was seen in a serious shooting of Joseph Maloney, a Superior lumberman. The shot was fired because of an altercation with a conductor on the Canadian Pacific, at whom the bullet was directed, but missed.

Fennimore.—While helping Charles Becker to kill hogs, Raymond Graetz was accidentally shot with the gun they had ready to shoot the hogs.

Sheboygan.—A lone bandit masked with a handkerchief held up Henry Schoen and Elmer Hagen, driver of a delivery wagon, and robbed them of \$20. The highwayman grabbed the horse's bridle and pointed a revolver at the driver, Schoen, who was ordered to get out. Keeping Schoen under the cover of the gun, the bandit rifled his pockets and took his wallet.

Racine.—Herman Kraemer, twenty-five, son of a well-to-do farmer in the town of Shoreway, lost his left hand in a corn shredder.

Oshkosh.—A Milwaukee member of the Catholic altar society at the convent attached to St. Vincent de Paul's church in this city has disappeared and it is feared she may have perished from the cold. She was scantily clad in her black robes. She had been visiting the local convent for some months, following recovery from an attack of melancholia.

Marquette.—The boiler of the heating plant on the Wisconsin and Michigan passenger train, which runs between Menominee and Iron Mountain, exploded at Peshigo station, wrecking the combination baggage and smoking car. No one was in the car.

La Crosse.—Mrs. Margaret Schwebach, mother of Rt. Rev. James Schwebach, bishop of this diocese, died, aged eighty-eight. Besides the bishop, two of her sons entered the priesthood.

## On Jack O' Lantern Night

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There was a rattling volley of gravel against the window pane and then sounds of scampering footsteps dying away in the distance.

"What was that?" asked Miss Gertrude of her startled guests.

A ripple of laughter came from the lower end of the table. "Why, Aunt Grace—don't you know it's Halloween?" Kitty Gertrude's mischievous pretty face peeped around the flowers at her handsome, dignified aunt.

"Halloween? Why—dear me, I had forgotten it was such a fest!" exclaimed Miss Gertrude so sincerely that everybody laughed again. "I thought the fatal rites were rather weird and fantastic—indeed, when I was quite a little girl my old German nurse called it 'Walpurgis night,' and I recollect she impressed it upon me that it was well to keep up on that evening, for witches and goblins were abroad."

"This is a twentieth century fantasy," remarked Mrs. Bliss cynically. "Nowadays we are convinced that hobgoblins are a delusion of the ignorant and superstitious, but in ignorant recognition of the occasion we ring doorbells, steal gates from their hinges and are gravel against the window panes to startle our sensible or forgetful neighbors."

"Oh, Mrs. Bliss!" cried Kitty reproachfully. "What a turncoat you are! Don't you remember what a delightful Halloween party you gave us two years ago? We did all the proper things—worked all the old charms; we had a perfectly lovely time."

Mrs. Bliss smiled at Kitty's enthusiasm. "Thank you, dear, I know you were all the most charming guests—but I will confess I was disappointed when my young people took it in such a matter-of-fact way. They seemed bored with the charms, but perfectly happy when the dancing began. You all spoke of it as 'Jack-o'-Lantern night, when in reality it was the Eve of All Souls!'"

"Do you really believe in those old charms?" asked Kitty rather timidly.



Adjusting Her Hair.

and the young man beside her seemed to listen as eagerly as she did for Mrs. Bliss's reply.

"Yes, indeed!" returned that happily married matron exchanging a swift glance with her husband. "Why, Mr. Bliss and I became engaged on Halloween!"

"Did one of the charms really work?" asked Kitty, blushing under the gaze of the interested young man.

"Yes," Mrs. Bliss smiled reminiscently. "It worked true and in the most unexpected manner possible." "In a very forcible manner, I may add," said Mr. Bliss impressively.

"It was one of those old games where you pare an apple and toss the parer over your shoulder to see what initial will take form. I had pared the apple and held it in one hand; with the other hand I was to toss the parer over my left shoulder; only, unfortunately, I became confused and tossed the apple over my right shoulder and it struck Mr. Bliss in the eye."

"After that I could not hope," complained Mr. Bliss gloomily. "and I demanded an explanation and compensation for my pain and—(right)—we compromised by according to fate's evident selection and were married forthwith."

There was a little murmur of delighted interest for the Blisses were markedly an ideally married pair. "There must be something in this Halloween business, after all," exclaimed young Hazen, who sat next to Kitty Gertrude, and as a little smile went around the table he blushed furiously.

Capt. Aymer put in a word of inquiry. "Please tell us about these charms, Mrs. Bliss," he said in his direct sailor way.

All eyes turned to the handsome, white-haired and sea-bronzed naval officer who had been a quiet listener. If anyone had glanced at Grace Gertrude he would have noticed that their hostess had flushed to the soft waves of her snowy hair.

As Capt. Aymer listened with grave attention Mrs. Bliss gave him a vivacious account of how the festival of

All Hallow's Eve should be observed. All the time-worn charms were related and lastly the one which bids the expectant maiden walk fearfully around the house, with hair unbound and mirror held in her hand, daily hoping to see the shadowy face of her future husband peering over her shoulder and reflected in the glass.

"That would give a chap a fair chance," observed the captain ironically, when Mrs. Bliss had concluded. "Any fellow that really wanted a girl, you know, could arrange it so that he might be seen over her shoulder just as it struck itself bell."

"That wouldn't be playing fair," cried Kitty Gertrude. "You wouldn't be giving the fates their due."

"Then there is hope for me," returned Capt. Aymer, with mock solemnity, and as they laughed no one saw the lightning-like glance that he shot at the captain. If they had seen it nobody would have wondered for they did not know that Grace Gertrude and the handsome captain were old friends, and would have been more than friends had not some misunderstanding arisen between them. They had not met for years until recently, and the captain had joined the Lousiana navy as a distant relative of Tom Bliss than as a special friend of Miss Gertrude. Not even the Blisses suspected a blighted romance between the two, although many wondered why two such handsome and altogether delightful people should have remained unmarried.

After dinner there was music in the drawing room and the topic of that low-toned was not brought up again. As a long motor ride had been planned for the next day and an early start was essential, the company broke up shortly after midnight.

Capt. Aymer went out on the veranda for a final cigar before going to bed. Standing near the doorway the moon was rising above the distant mountain, and the broad path that encircled the house lay revealed. The captain was thinking somewhat bitterly of what might have been if the fates had taken a kindly hand in his affairs, when suddenly there was an exclamation. Little aware that wringing his hand in protest that his memory of his first and only love.

Kitty Gertrude was tiptoeing cautiously around the house with her back toward him, a silver hand glass held before her face, the skirts of her ultra-modern gown held above the dampness of the path—twentieth century assurance and practical common sense hand in hand with ancient superstition. Coming softly behind her, taking her by surprise, was young Hazen. With a little sigh, he tossed away his cigar and Capt. Aymer stole into the house.

The great hall was deserted and one dim candle burned on a distant table. Standing near the doorway with her back toward him, was Grace Gertrude, adjusting a wave of her beautiful white hair before a looking glass that hung over a table.

Capt. Aymer hesitated one instant and then with several quick steps he stood behind her and their eyes met in the glass, and were held through the side of the hall by her loving glance to him. "If I had only done this years before!" he sighed as their lips met.

"It was my fault that you did not," she cried softly. "That is why I stood there—and waited for you to come in—I wanted you to have your chance!" Kitty Gertrude and her lover looked through the side of the hall, the front door and saw the two beautiful white heads so close together. Young Hazen's arm tightened about his sweetheart.

"I shall never call it 'Jack-o'-Lantern' night after this," breathed Kitty softly, as they entered the house.

## An Old Penny

The marquis of Abernethy recently celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday. He owns property in about seven counties; he is a founder of the famous Constitutional club; he is a Nevill, and a descendant of "Warwick the Kingmaker," and he holds the patronage of twenty-four church livings. In his younger days he was considered a great sportsman, and he was a member of the House of Commons for many years he hunted with the Eridge pack. There is a story told that during Lord Abernethy's residence in Yorkshire a traveler one day observed something unusual on the side of a hill. Proceeding to investigate, he discovered that the body of his curfew was neither more nor less than the heels of the viscount—as he then was—whose body and legs were buried in the habitation of a badger.

Eridge has been held by the Nevills for nearly 600 years, and at the old castle Queen Elizabeth spent six days in 1573, as "the guest of Lord But." Lord Abernethy's support of Disraeli at a time when the respectabilities of conservatism were looking askance at the brilliant young member led in 1875 to Lord Abernethy's advancement to a marquessate.

## The Lesser Evil.

"Mercy! Do you allow your husband to smoke in the house?"

"Well, if I didn't let him smoke he'd fume, and that would be a good deal worse."

## The Army Mule.

The army has many times without popular protest changed the cut and color of its clothes and the make and caliber of its rifles, but the proposed abolition of the army mule calls for a national uprising.

The Missouri mule holds a place in the military annals of this country of which no motor car can ever rob him. He has humbly shared in its victories and solemnly figured in its triumphs. To dismiss him now with dishonor from the service after his long and distinguished record in a hundred campaigns would be outrageous treatment of a faithful defender of the flag.

It is all very well for military theorists buried deep in their armchairs at headquarters to talk of modernizing army transportation. But we should have liked to have seen them follow Geronimo's trail through the wide and barren plains, and the high-power car ever made, or round up a band of renegade Sioux in the Bad Lands of Dakota with a 1912 model motor truck. The army pack mule deserves a monument of gold, and the states of the old western frontier should see that he gets it.

## Canada at the Chicago Land Show

WILL MAKE A MAGNIFICENT EXHIBIT OF GRASSES, VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.

A carload of grain in straw, grasses and other of the products of Western Canada arrived at Chicago the other day, and is now installed in the Coliseum, where the United States and Canada exhibition is under way. Those who are interested in the "back to the land movement" will find in the Canadian exhibit one of the best displays of the agricultural products of Western Canada that have ever been made. There are representative men there, who will be pleased to give the fullest information regarding the country.

The exhibit shows what can be done on the free grant lands of that country and most of the grain was produced on the farms of former residents of the United States who have taken advantage of the homestead lands of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The vegetable exhibit will attract a great deal of attention, and some marvelous potatoes, carrots, turnips, cabbage and cauliflower are shown.

It is true that the homestead area is being rapidly taken up and the bulk of that now to be had lies north of the Saskatchewan river in a portion of the country known as the park country. Here there is a large quantity of open prairie land, and the beautiful grasses of prairie and alfalfa. Water is in abundance, hay is plentiful and consequently fodder for animals is right at hand. Those who have taken advantage of farming in those districts and watched the efforts of those in the prairie paper feel that they have the advantage of their brother, who is not able to secure fuel and the other conveniences of the park district on his own farm.

The crop conditions throughout Western Canada the past year have been generally good, and some wonderful crop yields of wheat, oats and barley are recorded. The Canadian Government, under whose auspices the exhibit spoken of is being made, is preparing reports on crops in the different Western Canada districts, and will these will not be ready for distribution at the land show commencing on the 18th of November and closing on Dec. 5th, application made to the Canadian Government nearest you will bring them to you as soon as they are published.

## SUCCESSFUL COLLECTOR.



Faint Turner—I should think you'd have lots of trouble collecting 'way out here.

Collector Suremark—Not on yer life; everybody here knows I kin plunk the bull-eyes into shins out of ten!

## PHYSICIAN ADVISES CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Four years ago I had places break out on my wrist and on my shin which would itch and burn by night and scratch and smart by day. I could not get any relief. When the trouble first began, my wrist and shin itched like poison. I would scratch those places until they would bleed before I could get any relief. Afterwards the places would scale over, and the flesh underneath would look red and feverish. Sometimes it would begin to itch and I would wake up from my sleep, and I would have to go through the scratching ordeal again."

My physician pronounced it "dry eczema." I used an ointment which the doctor gave me, but it did no good. Then he advised me to try the Cuticura Remedies. As this trouble has been in my family for years, and is considered hereditary, I felt anxious to try to head it off. I got the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills, and they seemed to be just what I needed.

"The disease was making great headway on my system until I got the Cuticura Remedies which have cleared my skin of the eczema. From the time the eczema broke four years ago, until now, I have never felt any of its pain, and I am thankful to the Cuticura Soap and Ointment which certainly cured me. I always use the Cuticura Soap for toilet, and I hope other sufferers from skin diseases will use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment." (Signed) F. W. Hutchinson, Three Rivers, Mich., Mar. 16, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 22-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 37, K. Boston.

Explained. An old lady, the customer of an Irish farmer, was rather dissatisfied with the warty appearance of her morning's cream and finally she complained very bitterly to him. "The warty man," said Pat. "You see, the weather of late has been so terrific hot that it has scorched all the grass off the pasture land, and I have been compelled to feed the pore basties on water lilies!"—Ideas.

Two and two make four. This is a platitudes. Two and two make three. This is demagogism. Two and two make one hundred and fifty. This is high finance.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Consequences. "The men came to clean the fireplace out." "Yes." "Then they cleaned me out."

Dr. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, etc. a dose.







## LOCAL ITEMS.

Circuit court opens at the court house on Monday, December 4th.

—For the cheapest and best Fire Insurance see Edward N. Poinville.

Mrs. F. W. Morgan of Rudolph was in the city shopping on Thursday.

Andy Kuntz of Dexterville transacted business in the city on Thursday.

Attorney J. R. Roberts was at Wittenberg several days last week on legal business.

Mrs. Sylvia Stillwell of Merrill is a guest at the John Hooten home for several weeks.

Frank Sedall of the town of Sigel was among the callers at this office on Friday.

Matt Vandenberg left on Friday for Genand, La., on business for the Road Construction Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Blunck have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Canada.

Miss Grace Sherman departed on Friday for an extended visit with her parents in Missoula, Montana.

Mrs. H. E. Frisbie of Pine River spent several days the past week visiting at the Archie McMillan home.

Atty. J. J. Jeffrey has moved his office from the Lyon block back to his former place in the Heskison building.

—The Christmas suggestions in this week's ad of the First National Bank will interest many of our readers.

Henry Ebert spent Friday in Almond visiting with his son George, who is employed in a meat market there.

Dr. E. J. Clark returned last week from a week's deer hunt near Ladysmith. Doe brought home a fine deer.

Mrs. Max Sowatke returned on Thursday from a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Gerlich at Wausau.

Louis Zeaman, one of the solid farmers of the town of Sigel, favored this office with a pleasant call on Thursday.

Louis Lyonnais departed on Tuesday for Graou Bay where he will visit with his children until after the holidays.

—I make Abstracts, Collections and write Fire Insurance, Edward N. Poinville.

Miss Verna Lyon, who is teaching in the town of Rome, Adams County, came up on Saturday to visit her friends in this city.

Anton Schiller of Alford was a caller at this office on Thursday, and before departing advanced his subscription for another year.

Martin Hilgers, one of the substantial farmers of the town of Rudolph, was a pleasant caller at this office on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zabawa arrived in the city the past week from Middle River, Minn., for a visit with relatives until after the holidays.

Ben Benson brought in a large potato on Friday to add to our collection. The tuber is just a bit larger than anything that has been brought in so far.

—I can give you a bargain on an 80 acre farm close to a village. Easy payments and only a small payment down. Edward N. Poinville.

Ed. Hayes left on Friday for Syracuse, New York, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother, who had reached the advanced age of 81 years.

Attorney D. D. Conway left again on Sunday for Milwaukee where he is engaged in trying a couple of personal injury cases before the circuit court.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Laramie, who have been residing at Marshfield the past summer, have purchased the confectionery business run by the late Albert Henke in the Lyon block.

John Lousbury of the town of Sherry was in the city on Wednesday on business, having brought down a lot of outons. While here he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sator went to Wausau this morning to attend the wedding of E. J. Hahn of Marshfield to Miss Mayne McNeil of Wausau, which takes place at the Catholic church, Rev. J. Brennan officiating.

Among those mentioned in the Ripon College paper as available timber for the basket ball team for the coming winter is Walter Wood of this city. Walter was captain of the team last season and will probably occupy the same position this season.

—I handle Texas lands, buy and sell real estate and write all kinds of Insurance. Edward N. Poinville.

Miss Mary McMillan, who is teaching in the public schools at Ashland and Miss Anna McMillan, who is teaching in the St. John Training school at Menomonie, are home to spend their Thanksgiving vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McMillan.

The ninety million inhabitants of the United States, use more matches than the nine hundred million inhabitants in the rest of the more or less civilized world. It is estimated that nearly ten thousand matches are struck every second of the day in this country.

Stevens Point Journal:—Frank Coffier of Grand Rapids took George Bigelow's place for the day as conductor on the Green Bay road, between here and Plover. Mr. Bigelow had the unfortunate Wednesday of spraining one of his wrists by the quick release of an air brake, which struck him a hard blow.

O. Roehelov left on Monday for Janesville where he will take up his residence with a daughter that resides there. Mr. Roehelov is getting well along in years and finds it rather lonely living by himself up river. He says he has not gone back on this part of the country, however, and that even if he can't pass his last remaining days here he intends to have them bring him back here for burial.

Jos. Cohen is in Chicago this week on business.

Mrs. Fred Kruger has been quite sick for some time past.

E. Oberbeck spent several days in Chicago last week on business.

Frank and Glen Ticknor killed fifty rabbits on Monday, while hunting near Daly.

Peter Bohmsach of Seneca Corners was a business visitor at the Tribune office on Thursday.

Mrs. M. J. Peavel of Madison spent a week in this city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Slesser.

Will Schroedel will spend Thanksgiving day with his brother, Rev. Schroedel at Wausau.

R. B. Pease of Park Falls is in the city this week the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Pease.

Mrs. Irene Brooks of Green Lake has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jennie Gilkey, during the past week.

Miss Fern Slattery of Sturgeon Bay has been in this city the past week visiting with friends and relatives.

Peter McOmley has been drawn to serve on the grand jury which convenes in Madison on December 5th.

Wm. Gleve and Albert Arndt spent several days in Milwaukee this week purchasing stock for Gleve Bros. shoe store.

—T. T. Hoff, Chiropractor holds the degree of Doctor of Chiropractic from the largest school of healing in the world.

John W. May, who has been employed by Stubb & Natwick, electricians, the past five months, has resigned his position.

George Anderson of Milwaukee, travelling freight agent for the St. Paul Ry., was in the city on Friday on business.

Mike Kubiak, who has been seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia for several weeks, is able to be around again.

Jack Starr and Neal Bronum returned the past week from a hunting trip near Bruce. They each brought home a nice deer.

J. J. Lucy, one of the progressive farmers of the town of Sigel, called at this office on Monday to advance his subscription for another year.

Mr. George Otto and children of Black Creek are expected here today to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bender.

Stubb & Natwick have secured the contract for the wiring in the new home of Geo. W. Mend. They expect to commence work next week.

Mrs. Fred Kruger of Mosinee is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mahoney for a week. Mr. Kruger is also expected here to spend Thanksgiving.

—Our specialty is the accomplishing of results in cases where all other methods—drugs or druggals have previously failed. See the Chiropractor, Daily Block, Phone 599.

The Oxy Cafe, which has been doing business in the old Central hotel for a few weeks past, has closed down owing to a lack of business. Grand Rapids seems to be anything but a good restaurant town.

Jacob Kissinger of the town of Sigel brought in a load of twenty-five fine turkeys on Monday which he sold to local dealers. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Keenan of Hansen also brought in a large load.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Kaudy on Saturday, but the little one lived only about an hour, funeral services being held on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Kaudy has been quite sick, but is somewhat better at this writing.

The schools were closed at Nekosha last week on account of cases of scarlet fever and a desire to fumigate the school building. They will be opened again next Monday morning.

The Herrick House at Nekosha is also under quarantine, Clyde Herrick being sick with small pox.

The fire department was called out on Friday afternoon by a burning chimney at the Harvey Gee saloon on the west side. The departments from both sides of the river responded promptly, but their services were not needed, as the fire was extinguished before any damage resulted.

Francis Bender returned on Saturday from South Dakota where he spent the past month proving up on his claim which is located near Bettenger. Mr. Bender left on Monday for Black Creek where he will be employed in the cranberry which is owned by his brother-in-law, George Otto.

The Tribune office is in receipt of samples of the new Christmas seals which the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association will sell between now and Christmas for the purpose of fighting the white plague.

The Association expects to conduct a more active campaign than ever this year and if they do it is entirely probable that more seals will be sold than ever before.

Last week Geo. N. Wood received a communication from the department of commerce and labor asking some information concerning the planting of a carload of black bass fingerlings in the Consolidated pond several years ago. As fishing in that locality has greatly improved during the past few years Mr. Wood was enabled to make a good report on the matter. It is probable that an attempt will be made to get another lot of fish for the same waters.

Marshfield Herald:—At a regular meeting of the Eagles held in their lodge rooms on Thursday last week it was voted to purchase the Geisel property on East Second street at a consideration of \$1200. The tract lies between the Stierle photograph gallery and the Hughes garage. It is an ideal location for a home for the Eagles and it is their intention to erect a fine building thereon within the next year. Undoubtedly the first floor will be rented for store purposes and the second floor will be used by the Eagles for lodge and club rooms. The Eagles have enjoyed a phenomenal growth the past year and are front rankers among their fraternal organizations of the city.

## Motion Pictures Aid Red Cross Seals.

Motion pictures will again be used in the Red Cross Seal Anti Tuberculosis Campaign. A picture prepared by Thomas A. Edison, Inc., entitled "The Awakening of John Bond," will be ready for exhibition about December 8th, according to an announcement made today by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

The film is the fifth health film, and the second dealing with tuberculosis and the Red Cross Seal movement which has been issued by Edison. It is about 1,000 feet long, and tells an interesting story of everyday life in New York City.

The leading characters in the story are Bond, a political boss, his wife, Grace, and Nellie O'Brien, aged 18, living on the lower East Side of New York. The O'Briens, a large family, live in a miserably kept tenement owned by Bond, who refuses to do anything to clean up his building for fear of losing money. Bond is married and sails with his wife on a cruise for a wedding trip, taking with him as a deckhand, George O'Brien, Nellie's brother, who has consumption. On the cruise George falls rapidly and finally dies; Bond's wife having nursed him during his sickness and being with him at the last so takes his death bed message.

As a result of this close communication with George, Mrs. Bond contracts tuberculosis from him, and is brought back to New York for treatment. On her arrival home, she sends for Nellie to give her George's dying message, and there Nellie sees and denounces Bond as the murderer of her brother, because he refused to clean up the tenement in which they lived, or to help secure a hospital where consumptives might receive free treatment.

Meanwhile, Bond has been trying to find a sanatorium where he may place his wife, but to his horror, finds every private sanatorium full, and no room for more patients. He then proceeds to the Tuberculosis Society and finds that there is no public place, because he voted against it. He tried to bribe the secretary to make a place for his wife, but the official takes his money and gives him a package of Red Cross Seals. Bond is at first angry, but when he learns what the Red Cross Seal means, he writes out a check for \$50,000 for the campaign and agrees to support the hospital bill. The secretary then shows Bond a tuberculosis exhibit and an open air school, and arranges for the placing of his wife and the O'Brien children, who also have tuberculosis, in a sanatorium. The last scene shows Bond's wife and the O'Brien children recovered, playing in Bond's parlor, and a committee waiting on Bond, showing how his candidature is being supported because he believes in the tuberculosis hospital.

The film will be shown in thousands of moving picture theatres during December, and will be used by tuberculosis societies all the year round. The picture is produced under the supervision of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and the New York Committee on the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

## Sues Dr. Doege for \$10,000.

Theo. Brazee, junior member of the law firm of Brazee & Goggins, Grand Rapids, was in the city Thursday taking the deposition of Dr. K. W. Doege in a damage case in which the doctor is defendant. The case originated at Stevens Point and is the result of an automobile accident that happened a year ago in which an elderly man of that city lost his life. The doctor is sued for \$10,000 damages. It would seem from facts made known at the time of the accident that Mr. Doege, who was driving his own machine, was held blameless in the matter.—Marshfield Herald.

The accident alluded to occurred in this city on May 20, 1910. August Arendt and his son, Joseph, and the latter's wife, spent the day on the farm in the town of Hanson. When they were returning home at about 7:40 o'clock in the evening, in a two horse rig, and were near the east end of the wagon bridge that spans the Wisconsin river, according to the account given in the Journal the day following the accident, a Green Bay & Western train was switching across Clark street and a gas launch was passing under the bridge. Joseph Arendt, the young man, gave the lines to his father, a man of 70 years of age, and got out to walk in order to see if the train had moved to a position that would permit the team to pass in safety. At this juncture Dr. Doege's auto came up behind and a little to one side of the team. The horses caught sight of the auto and ran away. The wagon ran against the curbing near the Hotel Sellers. The old gentleman and his daughter-in-law were thrown on the brick pavement, the former sustaining injuries from which he died an hour later.

A. L. Smogieski is attorney for the plaintiff in the case and was at Marshfield last Thursday when the testimony of Dr. Doege was taken.—Stevens Point Journal.

FOR SALE—Large Round Oak heater. Suitable for large building or saloon. Will be sold cheap. Inquire at this office.

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## G. A. R. Announcement.

Annual election of officers at next regular meeting, Dec. 9th, 1911 at 2:30 p. m. All comrades in good standing are notified to be present.

A bounteous, free supper and entertainment will be given after the regular meeting; commencing at 5:30 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to the Woman's Relief Corps, and to each member of the G. A. R. and his family. This invitation is especially extended to each lady of the Woman's Relief Corps and to her escort. We also cordially invite our Esteemed Honorary Member, Mr. E. P. Arpin, wife and family.

Wood County Post is one of the most prosperous, probably financially the strongest of any in the state of Wisconsin. Its lot and building, centrally located and fully paid for, is worth at least \$3500.00, and besides there is always some money in the treasury. It behooves all Veterans of the Civil War living in this vicinity to maintain their affiliation with the Post.

Our regular meeting and annual election of officers happens to fall this year on the 30th anniversary of the organization of the Post, Dec. 9th, 1881.

Permit us to assure our invited guests that much of our pleasure depends on your presence.

By Order of the Post:  
J. W. Cochran, Commander.

## Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

Beginning with next Sunday, December 3rd, the hours of morning worship and Sunday school will be changed. Sunday school will begin at ten o'clock and the preaching at 11 o'clock. This arrangement it is thought will best serve the interests of all. During the coming month a series of sermons called "The Christ Series," will be delivered at the morning hour of worship. The theme for next Sunday morning is "The Man Wonderful."

In the evening the sermon theme is "Betrayed by a Word." No collection will be taken at the evening service, but the offering of the congregation will be left at the door. Seats free.

## Phil Griffin Married.

Philip Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Griffin of this city and Miss Maude Bruley of Neillsville left here Thursday afternoon and according to a note left by the young man, they have gone to Chicago to be married. Both are well known young people of their respective cities.—Marshfield Herald.

I have a large list of farm properties for sale and can give you good bargains. See Edward N. Poinville.

Nov. 21 Dec. 13  
State of Wisconsin, County Court for Wood County.—In Probate.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Henry A. Lathrop, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the County Court to be held in and for Wood County in the court house in the City of Grand Rapids on said Tuesday, the third Tuesday (being the 19th day) of December A. D. 1911 at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Emily Thibault to admit to probate the last will and testament of Henry A. Lathrop late of the city of Marshfield in said county deceased and for letters testamentary to E. E. Whelan and Adam Paulus.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1911.  
By the Court,  
W. J. Conway,  
County Judge.

Nov. 21 Jan. 3  
Summons.  
Circuit Court, Wood County, Plaintiff.

VS—  
Defendant.

Anna Ballon  
The State of Wisconsin—To the said Defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; in case of failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

D. D. Conway,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.  
P. O. Address Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wis.

Nov. 22 Dec. 13  
Order Limiting Time to Present Claims and Notice to Creditors.

State of Wisconsin, Wood County, in county Court.

In the matter of the estate of Albert Henke, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Albert Henke, late of the city of Grand Rapids, in said County of Wood, deceased, having been duly granted to Albert G. Bremer by this court, it is further ordered, that the time from the date hereof until including the 4th day of June, A. D. 1912, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time within which all persons claiming to be creditors of the estate of the said Albert Henke, deceased, shall present their claims for examination and allowance.

It is further ordered, that all claims and demands against the said estate of Albert Henke, deceased, be examined and adjusted before this court, at its Court Room in the Court House in the City of Grand Rapids, in said County, at the regular term thereof appointed to be held on the second Tuesday of June, 1912, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

It is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be examined and adjusted, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice, for four consecutive weeks, once in each week, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper published in the County of Wood, the first publication to be within thirty days of the date hereof.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1911.  
By the Court,  
Chas. E. Bremer,  
Attorney for Administrator County Judge

Nov. 21 Nov. 21  
Notice of Application for Proof of Will.

State of Wisconsin,  
Wood County Court, In Probate.

In the matter of the last will and testament of Mary Gokey, deceased.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Gokey, late of Grand Rapids, County of Wood, State of Wisconsin, has been filed in this office; and whereas, application has been made by John Hunsicker, Elmer Weaver, South Akey and Frank Gokey praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this State, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law;

It is ordered, that said application be heard before this court, at a regular term thereof, to be held at the Probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for four weeks successively in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said County, previous to said hearing.

Dated November 21st, 1911.  
By the Court,  
J. J. Jeffrey,  
Atty. for Petitioners  
W. J. Conway,  
County Judge

Nov. 8 Dec. 13  
Notice of Sheriff's Sale on Foreclosure.

State of Wisconsin, Wood County, in Circuit Court.

Charles E. Anderson, Plaintiff.

VS—  
Defendant.

William H. Hunsicker and Alvin Hunsicker his wife, and John Hunsicker, Defendants, by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made in the above entitled action, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1909, the undersigned Sheriff of Wood County, State of Wisconsin, will sell at the front and north door of the Court House in the City of Grand Rapids, on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1911, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the real estate and mortgage premises directed by said judgment to be sold and thereunto described as follows:

The South East Quarter (SE 1/4) of the south East Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 13, Township 36 North, Range Four (24) North of Range No. 4 East.

Terms of Sale, cash.

Dated this 8th day of November, A. D. 1911.  
John Schmitt,  
Sheriff of Wood County, Wisconsin.

D. D. Conway, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.  
Plaintiff's Attorney.

## Will Establish the Farm.

At the session of the county board last week it was voted to appropriate \$5000 for the establishment of an experimental farm in the northern part of the county, the city of Marshfield and vicinity to put up the remaining \$3500 for its establishment.

There was considerable discussion among the members of the board before the matter was finally settled. The first proposition was to have the county stand the entire amount but the matter in this form could not be carried.

While the amount to be raised is not large, still it was the opinion of many that it would be a good thing to wait awhile before going into the matter.

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## ADDITIONAL LOCALS

George Huntington left on Tuesday for Madison on a business trip.

The Ellis orchestra goes to Almond on Thursday to furnish music for a dance.

—Loomis, Collections, Real Estate and Fire Insurance, Edward M. Pomeroyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCarthy of Tomahawk moved to this city this week to reside.

Will Dunsen of Madison spent several days in this city the past week visiting with friends.

Arthur Pajin spent several days in this city last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Kate Pajin.

Mrs. M. Prichett returned on Saturday from Waukesha where she had been taking treatment for rheumatism.

Will Hayes, conductor of the St. Paul road, is spending the week at his home in this city during the absence of his father, who is in the east.

Miss Anna Eggert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eggert, leaves today for Parkersburg, W. V., where she expects to spend the winter with relatives.

At the meeting of the county board last week Geo. E. Ward was re-elected as one of the assessor commissioners. P. N. Christensen was also a candidate for the position.

Miss Ruth Lammert entertained a party of young people on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Grace Sherman. The evening was spent in a very pleasant manner.

Volont Hilbert of Hinsdale, Mass., spent a week in this city a guest at the W. W. Oakley home, he being a cousin to Mrs. Oakley. He left for his home again on Monday.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Congregational church will hold their monthly meeting next Tuesday, Dec. 5, at the home of Mrs. M. H. Jackson. All are invited.

The president's message is said to contain only about 6000 words, the shortest in years. It is kept out of the down like this, the first thing he knows somebody will up and read it.

The members of the most side line company served an oyster supper on Monday evening at which John Henry was the honored guest. Mr. Henry was 64 years old that day, which was the occasion of the celebration.

The new store of Geo. T. Rowland & Sons is rapidly nearing completion and they have already moved a part of their stock into the place. When settled in their new location they will have one of the nicest places in this locality.

H. H. Peterson has bought out the E. Albert Dairy Co. owing the Hanson creamery and the cheese factory at the Letzko corner, town of Sigel. The skimming station at Fishers Crossing and the building and two lots at Vesper are included in the sale.

Oconto Motorcade:—The second arrest in Wisconsin under the law passed by the last legislature which prohibits the drinking of intoxicating liquors in day coach or smoking car in any railroad train in the state was made near Orlitz, on the St. Paul road, Wednesday, when a man named John Zalkow was placed under arrest by the conductor and turned over to an officer who the train arrived at Orlitz. The new law gives a conductor police powers. The conductor had warned the passenger to put away his bottle, but the latter refused to do so, and the arrest followed. When tried at Black River Falls Zalkow is serving a sentence at the work house.

One of our exchanges asks the question: "Has winter come to stay?" We are not posing as a second edition of Hicks nor are we running opposition to the U. S. Weather Bureau, but if we may be allowed to venture an opinion based on thirty years experience in this latitude, we would say that winter has probably come to stay, for about six months, anyway. We never know it to stay long enough to satisfy everybody, except possibly the coal man. If there are any other problems of an away nature that our friend down the line would like to have answered, we would be pleased to accommodate him at any time.

A dispatch from Thief River Falls, Minn., says that the district court of that county has handed down a decision in a case that has attracted a good deal of attention in that city. A quarter of a century or more ago two brothers, Patrick and James Moehan, pioneer lumbermen of Porcupine county, and after whom Moehan, a station on the Green Bay & Western, was named, went to Minnesota and built a saw mill at Thief River Falls. The venture was a successful one and later both brothers lived in Milwaukee. Patrick died in the latter city, and after his death James Moehan, a nephew, sued the estate for \$10,000 for services rendered his uncle while alive. The suit attracted considerable attention in Thief River Falls, and finally resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff for the sum of \$3,300.

—Thanksgiving day reminds us of a great many things we are thankful for, but here we want to especially thank the citizens of Grand Rapids and vicinity not only for the very liberal patronage they have extended to us; but also for the friendly and pleasant manner in which our business transactions have been done during the past. When we consider that we have built all the wagons purchased by the merchants in Grand Rapids not one being shipped in, as far as we know, that through our repair business we have become acquainted with nearly every user of vehicles in Grand Rapids and surroundings, should we not then be thankful enough to make it known at this time that we appreciate it all and will only add that it will always be our aim to merit your confidence, patronage and friendship.

We thank you all.

The Anderson Carriage Works, Grand Rapids, Wis.

## RUDOLPH

Today is Tuesday and we are having a regular blizzard. I guess the Indians have forgotten all about their summer this year.

Geo. Plitz returned home Thursday from the north, bringing a nice deer with him.

Fred Schultz entertained his brother and family of Horicon from Friday noon until Saturday noon.

David Sharkey departed for a place near Mottingham, Iowa, to wrestle.

John Little was here last week training with Dave Sharkey and Tuesday he went to Marshfield to wrestle there on Wednesday evening, Nov. 29.

Mr. Moulton of Delaware County, Iowa, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. Scott. It is the first time in 33 years she has seen her father.

Mrs. Peris returned Wednesday from Berlin and will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Jackson.

Mr. Garow and daughter Helen spent Sunday in Stevens Point.

Mrs. and Mrs. Garow went to Manitowish to spend Thanksgiving.

Peter Kronmunkker Sr. and daughters Anna and Pauline were in town on Friday.

Hubert Crockett's house is in quarantine, as one of his sons has the small pox.

Mrs. Walter Dickson spent Sunday in Jackson with her daughter, Mrs. G. Stant.

Miss Frankie Morgan of your city spent Sunday here with home folks.

Mrs. Olin, Sullivan was up from the Rapids Saturday delivering goods for the California Perfumery Co.

Miss Leona LeMay, who is attending training school in your city, is home sick with the mumps.

Walter Dickson is having erected a blue new home on the old Olin place which he bought some time ago.

Mr. Lowly is the architect. Mr. Dickson expects to move in as soon as it is completed.

Alex Kujawa entertained his father from Stevens Point and his uncle from Waukegan, Bay County, S. D., a few days last week.

Frank and Joe Ratelle returned Saturday night from Ladysmith where they went to find work but did not find any.

Some persons or persons entered Max Steinberg's store about 6:30 p. m. Sunday evening and were scared away by Geo. Manseau, who seeing the door open went in there and called to Joe but not receiving any answer ran out and over to Grand-stand's and some of the men went over there but found no one but the door had been broken open.

## ARPIN

On Thursday, Nov. 23rd about fourteen of the Royal Neighbors met after the afternoon with Mrs. A. J. Cowell, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Mrs. Cowell who is in very poor health was thoughtfully remembered with beautiful flowers and other tokens of remembrance. Supper was served at four o'clock and then the neighbors returned to their homes after wishing Mrs. Cowell many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Nora Winebreuner was pleasantly surprised at her home Friday evening, Nov. 24th, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Just a few of the town folks were present. These present report a pleasant evening.

Mrs. O. W. Bloett returned from Vesper Saturday.

Mrs. Gns Mautner returned from Fond du Lac Saturday after a brief visit with relatives.

Mrs. Bryon Whittingham and Miss Amanda Matthey were Grand Rapids shoppers Wednesday.

Charlie Whittingham, Victor Vanmaten, Lawrence Hauke and Will Whittingham went to Ogeun Friday to hunt deer.

Miss Mary Mollot spent Sunday with Miss Sadie Cowell. Miss Mollot expects to leave soon for Annawan, Ill.

## SIGEL

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schroder of Randolph were visiting in this city one day last week.

Herman Schenke of Rush Lake, Wis., has been a visitor at the Fred Garbrecht home for some time.

Arthur Hauke and Martin Knuth returned from Hazelhurst last week.

Misses Hattie and Amelia Raeder and Clara Matthews and Messrs. John Raeder and Aug. Kroll spent Wednesday evening at the Garbrecht home.

Herman Schenke spent a few days with John Raeder last week.

John Raeder, Herman Schenke and Otto Garbrecht returned from deer hunting last week bringing with them a fine deer which they killed near Sheldon.

Chas. Ringer spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the Garbrecht home.

## Hunting Accident.

Chas. Pellorsels, who is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bender, accidentally shot himself on Friday, while hunting deer in the vicinity of City Point. Messrs. Rudolph Schenke, Geo. Damitz and Leonard Bender were in the party. During the day Mr. Schenke killed a big buck and while in the act of clearing a road to bring out the deer, Mr. Pellorsels, who was carrying several guns slipped and fell discharging one of the rifles, the bullet passing thru the calf of his leg. The injured man was taken to Pittsville where Dr. Hengen dressed his wound. As no bones were broken, the wound is not considered a serious one.

## BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bodette, Nov. 28th.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. August Kowalski.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carey on Nov. 25th.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Grism.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. John Kzykowski, town of Sigel.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Atwood, Biron.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Yacht, town of Grand Rapids.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fernan, town of Grant.

## ALTDORF.

There was a surprise party on Mrs. Anton Schiller Sunday, the occasion being in honor of her birthday.

Nick Wirtz of Cranmoor is in our neighborhood cutting corn fodder and sawing wood for the farmers.

Gertrude Wirtz has been visiting at Racine the last three weeks.

Joe, Sean has been on the sick list. It is reported that two deer last week.

Dan Kaenen killed two deer last week. A. Viertel and son, Herman and Ed. have returned from City Point where they were deer hunting. They succeeded in capturing a deer while there.

Next Tuesday, Dec. 6, occurs at Daly's opera house, Grand Rapids, the Bankers' Agricultural contest.

We hope that every farmer will attend this meeting and as far as possible make some exhibit or entry. Here will be a place to compare what we are doing with other residents of the county and if we find something better than ours we should try to do as well or even better than our neighbor.

Next year, further, we were told that if this year's show is a success, that we might expect something much better next year, as live stock might be added as well as dairy products. We have been asleep a long time. Let us wake up and do something so as to realize that we are still alive.

"Holland supports a population twelve times as great per acre as Illinois, and still exports butter and cheese to the amount of \$4 per acre.

More than this, the Dutch farmers have taken poor, sandy land, reclaimed from the sea, and made it worth \$1000 an acre for farming purposes. This looks like a fairy tale to the average American farmer, who all his years has been running his land down in fertility. But it is the truth. These things ought to convince us, as farmers, how little we know of what good, first class handling of the soil really means.

We are, as children, yet, wasting our heritage. But here and there is a farmer who is thinking about these things. Just now, such farmers are altogether too far apart. The question is how to lessen the distance between them so they can mutually help and encourage each other."

Which is wiser, hauling a ton of hay to market and selling half its value of fertility from your farm or hauling a ton of butter and saving practically all your fertility? They are about equal in value and note the difference in hauling.

## Pills and Politics.

Chicago Daily News.—At its annual conference in Chicago this week the National League for Medical Freedom makes a proper protest against the disgraceful attempt which is now under way to induce congress to pass a law for the glory and profit of one school of medicine and against all other forms of medical practice. It is well that the league has brought prominently before the American people the impudent and injurious features of the bill that ostensibly is intended merely to protect the public health.

Allopathic doctors who undertake to use congress to put down homeopathy and all other schools of medicine except their own are going far in the direction of medievalism, against which the government of the United States itself stands as a monumental protest. It is not to be supposed that advocates of the allopathic school of medicine generally approve of this amazing business.

For no right thinking American can believe in state system of medical practice any more than he believes in a state church.

Support of this scheme of making politics serve as the handmaid of a particular school of medicine has been secured up to the present time largely by false pretenses. The American public is under obligations to the League for Medical Freedom because of its exposure of this insidious effort to prepare the way for an allopathic trust in a country which boasts of its love of liberty.

All schools of medicine must be permitted in this country to stand strictly on their merits. To legislate in behalf of any one of them to the injury of the others would be intolerable. If bolstered up by the law the practitioners of the favored type would not have to rely henceforth exclusively on his skill and might proceed to lower his standard of efficiency or to take other liberties with his legally established position.

Keep pills out of politics that the national health and the national ideals of freedom may not suffer.

District Managers Armed for Campaign.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 28—(Special)—All is in readiness for the opening gun of the Red Cross Christmas seal campaign on the morning of Friday, December 1. Distributed among more than 800 local campaign managers throughout the state is the ammunition for the anti tuberculosis fight—2,884,000 seals, each one to sell for a penny and each a bullet in the side of the common foe of mankind, consumption.

With perfected organization and with plan of attack all worked out each branch manager waits in readiness for the opening of the sale on Friday. There will be a week of skirmishing and then a fortnight's hard fighting, each striving to outdo the other in the selling of his or her district better than that of any other.

The leaders of the sale in the Milwaukee office of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association are optimistic regarding the prospects for a record, breaking 1911 sale.

"We have spent a great deal of time and money educating the people of Wisconsin up to maintaining an organized fight against tuberculosis, and the results of our work are beginning to tell," said Dr. Hoyt L. Dearholt, executive secretary of the Association this morning. "I am confident that there are now twice the number of people in Wisconsin who know what the Red Cross seal stands for that there were a year ago at this time."

Local Man Turns Down a Fortune.

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The imprisoned banker claims that he has \$180,000 in America, and he wants Mr. Schroeder to go to Spain and pay the registrar of the court the expenses of his trial and recover his fortune. Louis is holding a secret pocket which he has hidden a document which is indispensable for a covering and sum of money. As a reward for Mr. Schroeder's services in the matter he is to receive one-third of the money, or \$100,000.

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The newspaper clipping that accompanies the letter gives a detailed account of the arrest of a Russian banker and of his imprisonment. It also tells of two of his portmanteaus being seized when he was arrested and that notwithstanding the fact that they were searched, nothing of importance was found in them, although the officers of the law felt secure that the banker has a large amount of money concealed somewhere.

It is needless to explain that the whole thing is a swindling scheme and an effort on the part of the swindlers to get some money out of Mr. Schroeder. It is not a new scheme, but has been used for years past with more or less success. However, the scheme has been exposed so often thru the newspapers that it is a wonder that a sucker is caught often enough to make a paying proposition out of it.

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A Progressive Farmer.

The Manitowish News gives us the following interesting story of an up to date farmer:

A complete electric light plant was installed on the farm of George Taylor, nine miles north of Two Rivers, during the past summer.

The plant was put in by Wm. Taylor, a son, and a student at Ripon. The house, barn, and all other buildings are provided with electric lights.

The dynamo on the Taylor farm is driven by a gasoline engine which also runs the cream separator and pumps the water. The electricity is generated during the day while the engine is running for its customary tasks and is then stored in an Edison battery. This battery, when fully charged, will supply current for from ten days to two weeks, according to the number of lamps used nightly.

Large tungsten lamps are used in the house and a lamp placed in the peak of the barn roof lights up the hay mow so that there is no longer any danger of fire set by an exploding lantern.

Doubtless Mr. Taylor's farm is only the first of hundreds of farms which will be similarly equipped in the near future.

Circuit Court in Session.

Circuit court convenes in this city next Monday. There are nine criminal cases on the calendar, they being as follows:

State of Wisconsin vs. James Moore, forgery.

State vs. Ernest Hall, perjury.

State vs. Fred Holmes, cruelty to animals.

State vs. Sam Wallace, rape.

State vs. Mrs. Fred Knuth, abusive language.

State vs. Olyde Renne, cruelty to animals.

State vs. Bert Kramer, bastardy.

State vs. Anton Smith, bastardy.

There are also thirty cases of fact for the jury, eleven cases of issues of fact for the court, three issues of law for the court, and eight default cases.

If all the cases on the calendar are tried out the indications are that it will be quite a lengthy term of court.

Broke Her Hip.

Mrs. S. W. Delany, mother of Mrs. Geo. R. Gardner, met with a serious accident on Tuesday evening, which resulted in the fracture of her right hip bone. Mrs. Delany was in attendance at the supper given in the Congregational church that evening and tripped on a rug, with the result above stated. As Mrs. Delany is 82 years old the injury is much more serious than it otherwise would have been.

Will Open Hotel.

F. A. Carter of Wild Rose has leased the Herron House and will open the place in the near future, having moved in a part of his furniture. The house is being renovated and prepared for the new occupant.

For Sale.

—Pure bred white Plymouth Rock pullets for winter laying. Inquire of Edward Lyub.

—Gibson Gore, one of the best impersonators of the day, will be at the Baptist church this evening, he being the second entertainer on their program, which they are running this winter.

Market Report.

Wheat, No. 1, 82c; No. 2, 81c; No. 3, 80c; No. 4, 79c; No. 5, 78c; No. 6, 77c; No. 7, 76c; No. 8, 75c; No. 9, 74c; No. 10, 73c; No. 11, 72c; No. 12, 71c; No. 13, 70c; No. 14, 69c; No. 15, 68c; No. 16, 67c; No. 17, 66c; No. 18, 65c; No. 19, 64c; No. 20, 63c; No. 21, 62c; No. 22, 61c; No. 23, 60c; No. 24, 59c; No. 25, 58c; No. 26, 57c; No. 27, 56c; No. 28, 55c; No. 29, 54c; No. 30, 53c; No. 31, 52c; No. 32, 51c; No. 33, 50c; No. 34, 49c; No. 35, 48c; No. 36, 47c; No. 37, 46c; No. 38, 45c; No. 39, 44c; No. 40, 43c; No. 41, 42c; No. 42, 41c; No. 43, 40c; No. 44, 39c; No. 45, 38c; No. 46, 37c; No. 47, 36c; No. 48, 35c; No. 49, 34c; No. 50, 33c; No. 51, 32c; No. 52, 31c; No. 53, 30c; No. 54, 29c; No. 55, 28c; No. 56, 27c; No. 57, 26c; No. 58, 25c; No. 59, 24c; No. 60, 23c; No. 61, 22c; No. 62, 21c; No. 63, 20c; No. 64, 19c; No. 65, 18c; No. 66, 17c; No. 67, 16c; No. 68, 15c; No. 69, 14c; No. 70, 13c; No. 71, 12c; No. 72, 11c; No. 73, 10c; No. 74, 9c; No. 75, 8c; No. 76, 7c; No. 77, 6c; No. 78, 5c; No. 79, 4c; No. 80, 3c; No. 81, 2c; No. 82, 1c; No. 83, 0c; No. 84, 0c; No. 85, 0c; No. 86, 0c; No. 87, 0c; No. 88, 0c; No. 89, 0c; No. 90, 0c; No. 91, 0c; No. 92, 0c; No. 93, 0c; No. 94, 0c; No. 95, 0c; No. 96, 0c; No. 97, 0c; No. 98, 0c; No. 99, 0c; No. 100, 0c.

FOUND—Sheepskin driving in the near Polish Catholic church. Owner can have same by calling at his home and paying charges.

FOR SALE—A first class shoe repair business. A good cash trade. W. A. Davis, Jackson, Wis.

## Beer to be Higher.

—The advance in the price of beer, which St. Louis brewers have had in contemplation since breweries in New York and Chicago raised the price of keg beer 50 cents a barrel, will include bottled beer, according to the latest information on the local situation.

That the advance is certain to come is the belief of nearly every brewery owner in St. Louis. They wanted to make it several weeks ago, but no one brewery was willing to take the lead and run the risk of losing some trade to a competitor.

Since then the prices of barley and hops have gone higher, and the cost of a barrel of beer is greater now than ever. Milwaukee breweries have advanced beer 50 cents a barrel, and other Wisconsin breweries have followed suit.

The contemplated advance in bottled beer is 10 cents, or 15 cents a case. Standard bottled beer now sells in St. Louis to the saloons for 90 cents a case of 24 pints or twelve quart bottles. One brand sells for \$1 a case. Any raise in bottled beer will be at the expense of the saloon owner, who will have no chance to make it up off the customer unless the saloons should raise the price of a pint of bottled beer to 15 cents, which is scarcely possible. The price is now 10 cents. On draught beer the saloon man can hold his own by giving shorter measure.

"We realize that a raise will be hard on the saloon keeper," said Henry Nicolaus, president of the St. Louis Brewing Association, yesterday, "but the brewers can not help themselves. A month ago I talked over the situation with our directors, and some of them opposed making any advance at that time. They wanted to wait for further results. The results came today in the October reports from the ten brewing plants we operate. All of them except one or two actually lost money last month."

"Good beer can not be made at the present price we are getting for it, when malt costs what it does now. We would rather raise the price than cheapen the beer, because poor beer would give our reputation a blow that it would be hard to recover from. One thing that has held back action in St. Louis is that the brewers here are shy of the law than those in Chicago or Milwaukee. They do not want to act in concert for fear they might be accused of forming a combination or being a trust. Look for the advance by one or more concerns at any time."

Barley is now \$1.27 a bushel, or almost double what it was last year at this time. Imported hops are quoted at 95 cents to \$1.05 a pound. New York hops at 50 to 65 cents, and Pacific Coast hops at 40 to 50 cents. Last year domestic hops were selling at 25 cents a pound and they got as low as 15 cents last January.—Champion of Fair Play.

Not only are the brewers in large cities raising their prices, but those in the smaller towns are preparing to do the same, as the price of raw materials have gone up to such an extent during the past year that they are unable to operate at the present prices and live.

Christmas Sale.

—St. Katharines Guild has been preparing a great many beautiful articles for their Christmas sale on Thursday, Dec. 7th, in the Mac-Kinnon building.

Work Bags, Toney Aprons, Neckwear and Beautiful Embroidered novelties await the Christmas shopper. A provision table is one of the attractions of the sale as well as a Japanese tea table presided over by Mrs. E. B. Redford and Mrs. Gilbert Marvin in costume. A candy booth in charge of the Misses Steele, Gibson, Huntington and Kinney promises to be an important feature of the sale.